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Previous references.

File No. 49 of 1901

1900-01
(S and A.)

Serial Nos. 1–14

Later references.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1–14.

all Part B for July, 1903.

SUBJECT.

Grant of leaths and Travelling allowances to Rangers and Foresters in the State.

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ROUTINE NOTES.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

Br II

Forest File No. 52 of 1895 which was sent to Recd ~~Today~~ this morning does not contain all the serials. Only a portion of the file has been sent and as such it is not possible to rearrange the file in the absence of the other serials. So please send the other serials which formed the part of the file. The portion of the file referred above is herewith returned.

5/2/18.

The portion of the file sent back to the branch was put up as a reference to a certain file. That file is recalled —

P.T.O

N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

This old file is no longer
required in the Branch,
after the case is disposed of,
it is unnecessary to retain
in the Branch. Please see
to whom the file containing
all letters is sent, and ascertain
from him the rest; as, Branch,
the file is returned—

A.N.P.
8/2/18

Submitted

The file relating to the Revision of Forest Deptt (Ft. 753.95) has not yet been returned to Hdqrs It was submitted to the Under Secy in connection with the appointment of Conservator as ex officio Secy in the Forest Deptt. It is not known in what stage it is

Orders passed upon Conservator's letter of 6th april last were issued and it is in the above file For ready reference an extract from the Register is submitted (No. 1761-2 dt 24-8-00 / FT-5-3.95)

~~The point for orders is~~ The question of Mahal allowance having been decided in the above, the point for settlement is the fixing of Mahal Talukks

Copy of Arts. 602 of the Mysore Forest Regulations and

a copy of order (No. 11906 A
dtd. 7.35.96
dated 30-4-97) fixing
the Malwal Salukhs) are
submitted herewith.

cs 12/10/00

Submitted Secretary
12/10/00

N. Secy
Please send me
the file about 4
13-10-00

Submitted for order.
The proposal
regarding order in this
made in para 3 &
4 - Dt. Memo
myself - 4 all
16/10/00

Ff. 7
53.4.5

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MYSORE FOREST DEPT.

TO THE COUNCILLOR
IN CHARGE

NOTE.

Travelling allowances of Forest Rangers and Foresters in charge of ranges

Sl. No. (113)

Government, in order No: 6817-26 FF. 7. 53-95 dated 24th March 1900 dealing with Colonel Walker's original proposals on this subject, passed fixed travelling allowance as follows: -

Ranger in charge of a range: in Maidan Rs 2
" Malnad 3

Nothing was said as to

Fores-

Foresters in charge of ranges except that it was undesirable to place Foresters in such charge.

2. But Colonel Walker in his No. 3705 E. 215 dated 22nd February 1898 (not dealt with in the orders quoted above) had modified his original suggestions and had proposed that

(a) Rangers of all grades be allowed in addition to the proposed permanent Conveyance allowance of Rs. 20 or Rs. 30, Re 1 per diem in Maidan and Rs. 1-8-0 in Malnad mileage being allowed only for duty outside the limits of the Range

(b) Foresters in charge of

May Dr. (Sec I 91-4 W)

(S 113)

of Rangers to draw allow-
-ances as in (a) and
when not in charge
to draw Rs 8 per mensem
in maidan and Rs 12
in malnad.

3. The Conservator
(No: 3366-77 dt 6.4.1900)
pointed this out to Govern-
-ment who ordered
(No: 1761-62 FR.7.53-95
dt 24.8.00) "that Rangers
draw daily batta at
Re 1 in maidan and Rs 2
in the malnad, and
Foresters a daily batta
of 4 annas in maidan
and 8 annas in the
malnad, and that,
in other respects the
existing rules be not
departed

departed from." Nothing
was said as to Foresters
in charge of Ranges.

4. But meanwhile
the Conservator asked
(No. 520/206 dt 4. 8-1900)
for orders as to what
should constitute mahal
ranges upon which
Government ordered
(No: 3502-3 Ft-7.5-3-95
dt 27-10-1900) that the
"fixed travelling allow-
-ance at Rs 30 may
accordingly be granted
to forest rangers" when
in charge of or employed
in nine specified ranges
and that the daily
batta sanctioned in the
Procs of 24-8-00 should
be regulated by Art

S81.7.0 (122)

S81.7.0 (123)

S17.5 (120)

602 of the Regulations. Thus it would appear that a malnad Ranger would draw Rs 30 per mensem if he did not travel.

A Forester in charge of one of the ranges, maidan or malnad, would draw only a maximum of Rs 15 or Rs 7-8-0 calculated on a daily batta of annas 8 or annas 4. It is not clear whether this was intended. It greatly favours Rangers in charge of the 9 specified ranges and grants Foresters similarly in charge only what they would

would get when not in charge of a range, even a maiden Range.

5. I beg to represent that no definite orders have been passed on the proposals made in para 7 of my letter of the 6th April 1900, that the present position is especially hard on Foresters in charge of ranges; and that, as will be seen from the Comptroller's letter of the 22nd August 1901, the various orders con-sidered together give rise to doubt. 987.20.(115) 987.20.(116)

6. It is impossible to arrange that a range charge shall never be held

held by a Forester.
Foresters all through India
have occassionally to
hold charge; and there
are certain unimportant
ranges in Mysore which
are sometimes held by
Foresters. A Forester's
expenses, when in charge
of a range, are the same
as those of a Ranger.
Hitherto by Order
No 1524-25 / Ft.f. 14-96 dt 10th August 1896,
such Foresters drew a
fixed allowance of
Rs 15 per mensem and
these orders have never
been formally cancelled,
though the presumption
is that they have been
superseded

Sl. No (2) { Sheet 2 of Ft.f. 14-96 } Linbrespile

superseded. Consequent-
ly Foresters in range
charge have, for the past
year, been entitled to
only draw annas 4
per travelling day in
the maidan, and even
this they have not drawn
from September last,
as they naturally claim
at least the old rate
of Rs 15 per mensem.
As a Forester must keep
a horse, the rate of 4 or
8 annas cannot re-
-coup his bona fide
expenses.

7. I venture to suggest
that the matter be re-
considered and that
consolidated orders
be

be issued providing as follows:—

(a) Rangers to draw daily batta @ Rs. 1/0/0 in maidan and Rs 2 in malnad (the malnad rangers to be those fixed by G.O No 3502-3 F.f. 53-95 d/27-10-1900)

This is at present 4

Sl. No (123)

(b) Rangers to draw horse allowance at Rs 15 in ⊗ maidan and Rs 20 × in malnad; but for every day for which daily batta is drawn, a proportionate deduction to be made from the horse allowance

⊗ Instead of Nil

× Instead of 30

This is as per Rules ⊘

(c). Foresters to draw 4 annas in maidan and 8 annas in malnad.

(d)

(d) Foresters when unavoidably placed in charge of Rangers whether in maidan or malnad to draw a consolidated allowance of Rs 20 per mensem.

8. The above proposals have been framed so as to reduce the expenditure originally proposed. I trust they may be considered moderate. The case of Foresters in charge of Rangers is urgent. Actually the effect of the recent orders has been to reduce the moderate allowance (Rs 15) to which they

they were previously
entitled. I may add
that cases falling under
(d) will be comparatively
rare and confined al-
-most entirely to the
maidan.

D. L. Pugh.
9.9.01

2nd Councillor

Rec 10/9.

Please see Note attached

15-10-01

(1) Write 3 share
holders which
may be placed
on the file.

Note

Much uncertainty, and in some cases even of hardship, have been occasioned by each reference having been disposed of by Government as brought up instead of the whole question being comprehensively con-sidered and dealt with. As the result of my study of the several orders passed from time to time on the subject, I find the case to be as follows:-

A. Rangers.	Fixed monthly horse allowance.	Daily batta.
I. In 9 specified tracts i.e.Malnad.	Rs.30/-	Rs.2/-
II. In other tracts.	,,	1 Rupee.

Note. (1) Daily batta in both cases is drawn only during travelling and under the conditions laid down in the Service Regulations.
(2) In case No.I, when daily batta is drawn during travelling, a proportionate reduction is made from the fixed monthly allowance i.e. if fixed allowance for that period is forfeited.

B. Foresters.	Fixed monthly allowance	Daily batta during travelling.
I. In Malnad.	Nil.	0-8-0.
II. In Maidan.	Nil.	0-4-0.

C. Foresters in charge of Ranges.

Same as other Foresters i.e. no fixed allowance but 4 or 8 as. a day according as they travel in the Maidan or in the Malnad.

2. If the above is correct, the

the Rangers in A I were dealt with much more liberally (by Sl.NO.123) in File No.53 of 1895) than was really called for, upon what I am afraid was a misconception of the proposal made by the Conservator in para 4 of Sl.NO.122. But whether there was a misconception or not, resulting in an order of a mistake unduly favourable to A I and prejudicial to A II was made and seems to require rectification. The former were given more than they were recommended for, viz, Rs.2/- a day plus Rs.30/ fixed allowance against Rs.I½ plus Rs.30/- , while the latter were given less viz, 1 Rupee a day + nil against 1 Rupee a day + Rs.20

3. Foresters as such (B) have no grievance.

4. The ~~case of~~ Foresters in rare charge of Ranges (C) have a valid grievance. The recommendation that they should be treated in the same way as Rangers was lost sight of, the result being that they are no better than ordinary foresters in the matter of batta and allowances It is nothing but fair that during the time they are called upon to hold a large and responsible charge, they should be treated differently from ordinary foresters, though they need not necessarily be placed on precisely the same footing as pukka Rangers.

5. The mistake referred to in para 2 supra proposed to be rectified by reducing the allowance in the case of A I to Rs.20/- and by attaching to A.II an allowance of Rs.15/-. This I consider quite fair. To the Foresters (C) referred to in para 4 above, a consolidated allowance of Rs.20/- has been proposed to be given instead of an allowance plus daily batta, the reason probably being that proportionate reduction when batta is earned, is contemplated only when the batta per diem is more than 1/30 of the fixed allowance.

6. The changes proposed are the only two mentioned in para 5 above and the cost involved is very small my rough estimate of the latter being as follows:-

9 Rangers.	— Rs. 90-0-0
21 Rangers at Rs.15 = 315 minus half of it likely to be forfeited on the supposition that they draw batta during half the month.	+ Rs. 157-8-0.
Foresters in Range Charge, average 2, at Rs. 20/-, =40 minus daily batta about Rs. 10/- net Rs. 25/-	+ Rs. 30-0-0.

Total + Rs. 97-8-0 a month or say in round figures Rs. 100. and this small amount would remove a long standing grievance.

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4.

7. Mr. Pigot will kindly go through this note and if it is all right, submit it ~~with~~ with the file to the Dewan for favor of early ~~orders~~. abroad before I put up orders - The matter does not seem to be sufficiently important to go before the Council.

15/10/07

C.S.K.

There are two points - which I should perhaps make perfectly clear before sending these papers to the Dewan.

(1) As will be seen from the Comptroller's letter No. 126 dated 22nd August 1907 he and I have combined the various orders as a whole to Dewan (not Rangoon, whether in Mahsul or Mandan, should not) Dewan a

H. No. 126

fixed the allowance in addition to batta. Amt according to such allowance to be paid.

(ii) We have appointed Jemadar in charge of Indian Ranges. This may be taken as the average number.

D. Dunlop.
16.10.01.

To the Treasurer,

Recd
17.10.01
2224 4332
9 copies the proposals in para 5 of the order may be passed accordingly
Secy
26.III.02

Print draft
Asst. 28/3/02

Sub[d] with draft to 2[a] Cr
Asst. 29/3/02

CS
29/3/02. Recd
29-3-02.

Secy Q.r
1/4/02
Asst. 1/4/02

Order N°. 698-706 / 3591-9 dy 10th april 1902.

With reference to the above the Comptroller requests clear instructions as to the tracts in which rangers are entitled to daily allowance at mahual rate of Rs 2, whether it should be restricted to the 9 ranges specified in Pro. N°. 3502 / Rc. 753.95 dy 27.10.00 or to tracts mentioned in article 602 of the Mysore Service Regns.

† N°. 7098 / 394 dy 15/5/02

The Comptroller further asks for a list of talukas constituting the 9 forest ranges referred to in the Proc. of 27th October 1900 as he presumes that the batta sanctioned in order N°. 698-706 / 3591-9 is allowed to rangers only when they travel beyond their jurisdiction.

Vide N°. 7059 / 395 dy 19/5/02 to Conservator of Forests.

The orders of Govt. N°. 698-706 / 3591-9 dy 10th apl/02 are clear and supersede all previous orders. Beyond referring to G.O. N°. 3502-3 / Rc. 753.95 dy 27.10.00 for the purpose of fixing the 9 ranges no reference to it or to article 602 of the M.S. Regns was contemplated. This is an order passed specially for the Forest Department and refers to one and the same tract so as to avoid confusion in auditing the T.A. bills. The Comptroller's interpretation that batta is allowed only

Sl. N°. (123)

Subordinates of the

when rangers travel beyond their jurisdiction seems incorrect as the orders of 10th april above quoted clearly state that both batta and permanent horse allowance will be granted within the jurisdiction of the rangers, proportionate deduction being made from their bills for the period for which they draw batta.

All that we have to inform the Comptroller is that beyond their jurisdiction rangers will be permitted to draw batta at 1 or 2 Rs as the case may be in such malnad tracts being those specified in art 802 M.S.R.

Subd with a draft for approval or other orders to the Secy.

27/5/02

27/5/02

29.5.02.

Subbaraw

The Trustees will in charge of changes be sent a copy recently to the Comptr. etc. in which this reply

Read 31-5-02

3/6/02

To the Secretary Conservator with draft for approval.

Noted with thanks & slight modifications.

2/6/02

Referring to G. O. N°. 881-89 †
4587-95

† Space copy put up.

dated 7th June 1902, the Comptroller enquires whether the horse allowance to be deducted under para 1 thereof should be computed at 1/30th of the allowance for each day under arte 545 of the M. S. Regns or according to the number of days of the month in which the allowance is drawn.

N°. 3780/96 & 16/1/03

Article 545 of the Regulations applies to journeys beyond jurisdiction and it has no effect so far as the Forest Deptt is concerned. Forest Rangers get batta in addition to allowances and no deductions are made for days travelled beyond their jurisdiction

If calculations are made as prescribed in arti 545 for months of 31 days the Rangers will be losers. So it has been the practice both in the Conservator's Office and in the District Forest Offices to take into account the number of days of the month for which the allowance is drawn.

Subd with draft for appl or other orders.

CS
24/1/03

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ROUTINE NOTES.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc.]

With reference to para 3.
of the draft G.O. please see
offg. Conservators no. 4473
of the 31st ultimo to the
address of the Comptroller.
The permanent allowances
of all foresters are drawn
on their salary bills presented
at the treasury every
month for encashment.
The batta of all other foresters
is drawn on Travelling
allowance bills which are
subjected to the preaudit
of the Comptroller.
Para 3 of the proposed
draft appears therefore to be
unnecessary in my opinion
Subd. to the 2nd Asst.
Conservator 3/6/02

Issued & Subd. to Secretary 10/6/02

Rec'd 5-6-02

You have referred in the
margin to requiring that a
note of the kind mentioned
in the draft G.O. be invariably made?

There is no harm in such a note being made & therefore I do not object.
10/6

N. B.—Should notes, etc., be written on small slips the notes must be copied, or the slips pasted on this form.

Foresters on Survey Work

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Note.

In Government order

no. 698-706 dated 10th April
3591-9

last, sanction was accorded
to a scale of daily batta and
allowances admissible to
Rangers and Foresters. I now
beg to approach Government
with a proposal to grant
Foresters employed on Forest
Surveys a consolidated travelling
allowance of Rs. 15 in the maidan
and Rs. 20 in mahal in lieu
of the daily allowance of 4 annas
and 8 annas respectively
to which they are entitled
under the existing rules. One
Forester on Rs. 30/- is now deputed

* Flag O.

to survey work in addition
to 3 permanent Surveyors
on salaries ranging from
Rs. 75 to 85 plus a fixed travelling
allowance of Rs. 30/- and one
temporary Surveyor on Rs. 40 + 15.
The Forester on Rs. 30/- is doing
precisely the same work as
the other highly paid men,
and the disparity in the salary
and travelling allowance
between him and them has
naturally made him discon-
-tented with his position. The
duties of a Forest Surveyor
are arduous, entailing
greater exposure and greater
expense than those of an

ordinary Forester who has got a fixed head-quarters in close proximity to his charge and hence can enjoy the comforts of home; while the Surveyor's work lies chiefly in remote and unhealthy tracts, and besides for the most part of the year he has to live away from his family. His duties are in no way less onerous than those of Foresters in charge of Ranges to whom a consolidated allowance of Rs. 20/- per mensem has been sanction-ed. I therefore think that he

he is deserving of the same treatment in the matter of travelling allowance.

30.8.02.

To the Dewan thro' the Revd Councillor.

It is hoped a copy of the draft above mentioned has been sent with this for reference to the Mallamies Protocol. Should not a corresponding Rajah order as follows:—

"Forester employed on Survey work will in lieu of daily allowance draw the same fixed allowance as that drawn by Foresters in charge of Ranges".

1-9-02

Submit draft to the Dewan

8.9.02

6.9.02

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MYSORE FOREST DEPT.

TO THE COUNCILLOR
IN CHARGE.

NOTE.

In August 1900, M.K. Muthiah who was the Range officer of Nagar Range was deputed for work in connection with the Khedda operations. As no other Ranger was available 1st grade forester Venkappiah who was on the spot was placed in charge of the Range. He continued in charge from 1st September 1900 to 30th June 1901. and claimed allowances. As the question of granting allowances to Foresters was then under consideration his request was could not be complied with and he was therefore told to wait for the final orders of Govt. The orders sanctioning an allowance of Rs 20 to Foresters in charge

Sent to Secty. for 29/6/02.

in charge of Rangers in Malvad ~~on travelling~~ directed that the allowance should only be given from 1st April 1902. Venkappiah was therefore directed to submit bills charging at rates allowed to ~~Do~~ foresters not in charge of Rangers. He now submits 10 bills from Sept 1901 to June 1903 aggregating Rs 79:12:0 ~~on account~~ which have been checked and the amount has been reduced to Rs 64.0.0 in this office. As the amount has been allowed to remain in abeyance for more than 2 years it cannot be disbursed by the Comptroller without the special sanction of Govt as required by para 3 of article 5 of the Civil Account Code Vol. I 5th Edition page 2..

A draft sanctioning the bills is therefore subd herewith for approval

CS
20/6/03.

Sept 1901	Rs 7.4.0
Oct "	" 0.0.
Nov "	" 0.0
Dec "	" 4.0.0
January 02	" 7.0.0
Feb 02	" 6.12.0
March "	" 6.8.0
April "	" 7.4.0
May "	" 7.0.0
June "	" 7.4.0
Total	64 0 0

To the Secretary
Sanctioned
22.6.03

Sanctioned to the 2nd Class
20/6/03

20.6.03

To the Second Councillor.

As a rule retrospective effect could not be given to orders of this kind. This however seems to be a special case, as the Rangers seem to have been told to wait question may be covered accordingly. 22/6/03

Sanctioned
22/6/03

Sanctioned after Secy
22/6/03

11040
23.6.03

H. 21/6/03
22.6.03

Extract from the 'J' Register. (20)

No. 1761-2 / F. 253-95 Dated 24th August 1900.

Increasing the number of Range charges in the Forest Deptt. from 27 to 30 without prejudice to the number of Gazetted Officers (Assistant & Sub Assistant Conservators) that may sometimes be placed in charge of Ranges; stating that including Mukul Dasgupta who have been ordered to be graded with Rangers, the total number of Rangers will be 35 without reservation as to time or place of employment, that Rangers may draw daily batta at 1 Re. in the mainban & 2 Rs. in the malnad and foresters 4 annas in the mainban and 8 annas in the malnad and reserving the question of the increase of pay to the manager of the Conservator's office for future consideration.

Orders on letter No. 3366-77 dt 6th April 1900. Fin.

Extract from the Mysore Service Regulations.

602. For the purposes of this Chapter (XXXIV) the following tracts have been declared as malnad :—

Shemoga District. The taluks of Shikarpur, Sagar, Sorab, Tirthahalli and Nagar.

Kadur District. The taluks of Koppa, Mudgere, Chikmagalur (except Malalur, Lakya, Kalasapur and Kasaba Magans) and Magans of Lakvalli and Lingadahalli of Tarikere Taluk.

Hassan District. The taluks of Belur and Manjarabad and those portions of the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks which lie to the west of the river Yagachi.

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1899-1900

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

FOREST

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 24th March 1900

No. 6817-26 / Ft. F. 53-95

24-67-99
66-99

Passing orders regarding the reorganization of the Forest Executive, Protective and Office establishments.

Please see No 1761-62 F. 753.95
G 24.8.00 Modifying para 4 and 7.

S.B.P.—11-4-1900—200

READ—

The following communications from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore :—

(1) Letter No. 1700—86, dated the 26th September 1897, submitting proposals for the revision of Forest establishment in Mysore.

(2) Letter No. 1274—77, dated 27th September 1899, requesting that the pay of the Head Clerk may be raised to Rs. 100, with effect from 1st July 1898.

No. 6817-26—FT. F. 53-95, DATED BANGALORE, 24TH MARCH 1900.

ORDER THEREON—Government have carefully considered the proposals submitted by the Conservator of Forests.

2. *I. Controlling Staff.*—They are of opinion that Colonel Campbell Walker's proposals regarding the revision of the controlling staff should be reserved for further consideration. They also consider that the grade of Sub-Assistant Conservator should be retained for the purpose of recruitment for the higher grades.

3. *II. Executive Staff.*—There are at present 27 Ranges, of which six are under the charge of Assistant and Sub-Assistant Conservators, four under that of Foresters and the remaining 17 under that of Rangers. Three additional Ranges are now proposed to be formed. This proposal will, however, be held in abeyance pending a further report from the Conservator as to the necessity for the addition.

4. The Government agree that it is undesirable to have such an important charge as a Range officered by subordinate officials of the rank of Foresters. But at the same time they see no reason why, in special cases, Assistant and Sub-Assistant Conservators should not be placed in charge of Ranges. While, therefore, sanctioning the proposed increase in the number of Rangers from 17 to 27, Government desire that this scale be, in practical application, reduced to the extent to which Assistant and Sub-Assistant Conservators may, for the time being, be in charge of Ranges.

Increased to 30 / Vide Rc. No. 1761-62 / F. 253-95 dt 24/8/00

5. The proposal to improve the prospects of Sandal Darogas by grading them with Rangers, is approved, the total number of Rangers being thus raised to 35

6. The gradation and distribution of the sanctioned maximum scale of Rangers will be as below :—

2	on Rs. 100	(1st grade)
3	on „ 80	(2nd grade)
6	on „ 70	(3rd grade)
10	on „ 60	(4th grade)
10	on „ 50	(5th grade)
4	on „ 40	(6th grade)

7. The fixed travelling allowance for an officer in charge of a Range will be as follows :—

	Maidan.	Malnad.
	Rs.	Rs.
If a Ranger	20	30
If a Sub-Assistant or Assistant Conservator ...	~~30~~	~~40~~

Modified Vide Rc. No. 1761-62-8 / F. 253-95 / 24.8.00

8. The number of Surveyors will remain the same as at present, namely, three. Their pay, however, will be raised from Rs. 75 to Rs. 85 each, this increase being given by two annual increments of Rs. 5 each. They will continue to draw their present fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem.

9. *III. Protective Staff.*—The proposal to simplify the classification of the whole Protective Staff by re-classing the members thereof as Foresters and Forest guards, is approved, as also the proposal to raise their strength by 42 and to revise their salaries at a net additional cost of Rs. 34,104 per annum. The temporary hands hitherto employed will, under this sanction, be transferred to the permanent establishment.

10. *IV. Office Establishment.*—The Conservator's office establishment will, as proposed, be revised at a net additional cost of Rs. 998 per mensem. This does not include the Manager, whose case will stand over for the present, subject to further proposal, which, it is believed, the Conservator will shortly submit.

11. As regards the Forest establishment of District Offices, the Conservator will be good enough to place himself in communication with Deputy Commissioners and, after ascertaining their views, submit such modified proposals as may seem called for.

12. *V. General.*—The limits of the several sanctions given above will be observed as maxima in respect of each class, which should only be availed of gradually and to the extent absolutely necessary in public interests. Government rely upon the Conservator using his best discretion and judgment in this matter and in introducing the revision, district by district, commencing with those districts where improvement is most desirable, and paying the closest possible attention to the strictest economy, so essential in a year of unfavorable seasons like the one current.

13. The Conservator and the Deputy Commissioners will bear continuously in view that the main object of increasing salaries is to obtain the services of a better class of men for Forest work in all its branches. It follows that the re-organization now sanctioned can be worked up to only gradually. Incapable men should be got rid of or should be retained in the lower grades. New appointments should only be given to men who possess the necessary general qualifications in respect of age, physique, and education and who may pass special qualifying tests (such as the one for Accountants) to be prescribed hereafter. Thus no Forester should be appointed, who has not passed the Lower Secondary Test. Further orders in these and cognate matters will be embodied in the Departmental Code.

14. Patronage in new appointments, or in promoting men above the rank of Guard in the Protective Staff, should rest for the present in the Conservator, so that a uniform standard of qualification in the Provincial service may be secured.

C. SREENIVASIENGAR,
Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Conservator of Forests in Mysore, with a statement showing present and sanctioned scale, and returning the Service Register of Lakshman Rao.

The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.

Exd.—M.A.R.

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Forest, dated 24th March 1900.

Statement showing the present and sanctioned scale of the Forest Executive, Protective and Office establishments.

Present scale.			Sanctioned scale.			Increase.	Decrease.
Details.	No.	Amount.	Details.	No.	Amount.		
			Executive Staff.				
1. Rangers— Rs.		Rs.	1. Rangers— Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1st grade on ... 100	1	100	1st grade on 100	2	200	...	...
2nd do ... 80	2	160	2nd do 80	3	240	...	...
3rd do ... 70	3	210	3rd do 70	6	420	...	...
4th do ... 60	3	180	4th do 60	10	600	...	...
5th do ... 50	6	300	5th do 50	10	500	...	...
6th do ... 40	2	80	6th do 40	4	160	..	...
Total ...	17	1,030	Total ...	35	2,120	1,090	...
2. Darogas—							
1st grade on ... 60	2	120	....	...	...	....	...
2nd do ... 50	3	150	....	...	...	...	...
3rd do ... 40	3	120	....	...	...	...	...
Total ...	8	390		...	...	...	390
3. Surveyors on ... 75	3	225	2. Surveyors on 85	3	255	30	...
Total ...	28	1,645	Total ...	38	2,375	1,120	390
			Net increase ...	...	...	730	...
			Fixed Travelling Allowance for Range charges.				
Rangers at 15	17	255	Officers at 40	6	240	...	...
Foresters at 15	4	60	Rangers in malnad at 30	3	90	...	...
Surveyors at 30	3	90	Rangers in maidan at 20	18	360	...	...
			Surveyors at 30	3	90	...	...
Total ...	24	405	Total ...	30	780	375	...
			Net increase ...	...	...	375	...
			Net total annual increase under Executive staff.	...	...	13,260	...
			Protective Staff.				
Foresters, permanent ...	776	1,226	1. Foresters—				
Foresters, temporary ...			1st grade on 30	18	540	...	...
Manegars	20	241	2nd do 25	25	625	...	...
Mutsaddis	37	521	3rd do 20	49	980	...	...
Watchers	614	3,327	4th do 15	61	915	...	...
Kolkars	36	199	Total ...	153	3,060	...	...
Peons	94	558	2. Forest guards—Malnad—				
			1st grade on 12	30	360	...	
Total ...	877	6,072	2nd do 10	48	480	...	
			3rd do 9	50	450	...	
			4th do 8	98	784	...	
			5th do 7	266	1,862	...	
			Total ...	492	3,936	...	

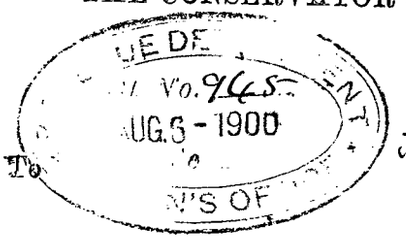
Statement showing the present and sanctioned scale of the Forest Executive, Protective and Office establishments.

Present scale.			Sanctioned scale.				
Details.	No.	Amount.	Details.	No.	Amount.	Increase.	Decrease.
			Protective Staff—concluded.				
		Rs.	Forest guards—Maidan— Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
			1st grade on 10	15	150	...	...
			2nd do 9	25	225	...	...
			3rd do 8	40	320	...	...
			4th do 7	59	413	...	...
			5th do 6	135	810	...	...
			Total ...	274	1,918	...	...
Total ...	877	6,072	Total ...	919	8,914	2,842	...
			Net annual increase ...	...	...	34,104	...
			Office Establishment.				
Head-quarter office—			Head-quarter office—				
Manager	1	150	Manager	1	150	...	...
Head Accountant ...	1	80	1st Grade Accountant ... 70 10 100	1	100	...	...
Deputy Accountant ...	1	60	2nd do ... 50 5 65	3	195	...	...
Accountants at 35 and 20 ...	2	55	3rd do ... 30 5 45	4	180	...	...
Temporary Accountants (1 at 50, 1 at 30, 1 at 30 and 1 at 25).	4	140	Head Clerk 70 10 100	1	100	...	...
Khedda Accountant ...	1	25	Deputy Clerk... ... 50 5 65	1	65	...	...
Head Clerk	1	55	Clerks (1 at 40 and 1 at 30)... ...	2	70	...	...
Deputy Clerk	1	40	Head Record-keeper	1	50	...	...
Head Record-keeper ...	1	50	Assistant Record-keepers (1 at 25 and 1 at 20).	2	45	...	...
Munshi and Assistant Record-keeper.	1	25					
Temporary Record-keeper ...	1	10	Total ...	16	955	...	...
Total ...	15	690	Mutchi	1	15	...	...
			Daftarband	1	10	...	...
Mutchi	1	12	Jamadar	1	12	...	...
Dafadar	1	10	Dafadar	1	10	...	...
...ons (4 at 8, 7 at 7 and 1 at 6).	12	87	Peons (2 at 9, 3 at 8, 5 at 7 and 3 at 6)...	13	95	...	...
...scars at Rs. 7 each ...	2	14	Lascars at Rs. 7 each	2	14	...	...
Total ...	16	123	Total ...	19	156	...	...
...ffice establishment ...	31	813	Total ...	35	1,111	298	...
			Net increase under office establishment per annum.	...	...	3,576	...
			Grand Total net increase ...	...	...	50,940	...

(S.1) 1900 (122)

From

THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS
IN MYSORE.



To H. 60

THE SECRETARY TO GOVT.,
GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

Dated
Despatched } 4th August 1900
Received

General No. 520
No. 206
Enclosure No.

SUBJECT.

Submits for favour of early decision by Government the question as to which forest ranges shall be classed as "malnad" under the orders conveyed in Govt Proc. No. 6817-24 71-7-53-95 dated 24th March last & solicits early sanction of Govt to the grant of fixed travelling allowance at the rate of Rs 30/ p.m. to Forest Rangers when in charge of or employed in the 9 Ranges mentioned in para 3 above.

Submitted for orders

11/8/00

The file was subd to the 2nd Cl on 13/8/00

17/8/00

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Enclosures

OFFICE OF THE
CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 1st August 189 0

From

J. L. PIGOT, ESQUIRE,

CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS IN MYSORE.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE,

GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENTS.

SIR,

Adverting to para 7 of Government Order No.6817-26 F1 1..3/9 ,dated the 24th March last, I have the honour to submit for favour of early decision by Government the question as to which Forest Ranges shall be classed as "Malnad" under those orders.

2. In the statement accompanying this office letter No. 1700-03 dated 26th September 1897 the number of "Malnad" ranges is entered as 9. My predecessor appears to have omitted to clearly specify these malnad charges;and a reference to Article 602 of the Mysore Service Regulations will not decide the matter. Thus the Arkalgud range should I think be classed as Maidan for forest purposes,although it comprises an area west of the Yagachi river which,under Article 602,is "Malnad". I append a list of ranges which I propose should be treated as malnad and in respect of which the Forest Ranger in charge,or a Forest Ranger exclusively employed therein on special work,should draw Travelling allowance at the rate of Rs.30. It will be observed that I have omitted in the list the Heggadadevanakote range.

This is the most important and the heaviest worked range in the Province. The Heggadadevanakota taluk where most of the forest work is carried on is not "Malnad" under the Regulations. On the other hand, travelling in those remote forest tracts, which officials other than forest officials seldom penetrate except along the high roads, is very expensive. There is nothing to distinguish the conditions of forest work there from those in the adjacent Coorg forests where exceptionally high rates of travelling allow-ance are allowed. I therefore confidently recommend that the Heggadadevanakota range be treated as malnad.

3. The list of Malnad Ranges which I propose is as follows:-

1. Heggadadevankota.....Mysore District.
2. Shimoga (including Tirthahalli taluk).
3. Sorab (including Sagar taluk)
4. Shikarpur.
5. Nagar.

...Shimoga District.

6. Lakkavalli.
7. Chikmagalur (including Jager valley).
8. Tudegere.

.. Kadur District.

9. Manjarabad..... ..... Hassan District.

I propose these forest ranges as "Malnad" having regard to previous correspondence. But it would I submit be preferable, with reference to Article 602 of the Regulations, not to apply that adjective to them but simply to treat them as ranges for which special fixed monthly allowances are sanctioned. Any daily rate of allowance which may be sanctioned in connection with the proposals submitted with this office letter No.3366-77, dated the 6th April last, would, I assume, be regulated as to locality by the provisions of Article 602.

5. I have omitted in this letter any reference to the allowances to be paid to (1) Gazetted off-icers and (2) Foresters while in charge of ranges; as these and connected questions have been referred for orders in my letter of the 6th April last quo-ted above.

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Read

Letter No. 520/206 dated the 4th August 1900 from the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, submitting for orders, with reference to para 7 of Government order No. 6817-26/F.7 53.95 dated the 24th March 1900, the question as to which forest ranges shall be classed as Malnad for the purpose of allowing the fixed travelling allowance of Rs. 30/ therein sanctioned and proposing that the nine ranges noted in the margin be treated as "Malnad" for the purpose

Order thereon

1. Hesseddevenkote
2. Shemoga including Sheerthally DK
3. Sorab including Jaeger DK
4. Shikarpur
5. Nagar
6. Lakkavalli
7. Chikmagalur including Jaeger Valley
8. Mudegere
9. Manjarabad

No: 3502-3/F.7.53 95 4[2]-10.00/27

The ranges specified above will be treated as those for which ~~fixed~~ special fixed monthly allowances under para 7 of the Government order referred to above are sanctioned. Fixed travelling allowance at Rs. 30 may accordingly be granted to Forest Rangers when in charge of or employed in these Hill ranges. The daily batta and travelling allowances sanctioned to Rangers vide in Proceedings No. 1761-62 / F. 753.95 dated the 24th August 1900, will however be regulated under the provisions of article 602 of the Mysore Service Regulations

20/10/00
for Secretary

9. The Conservator of Forests
The Superintendent of Police.

(Sl 3) 6th July 1906. (125)

Dear Sir,

The orders of Government quoted overleaf about the travelling allowances of rangers and foresters are not clear to me or to my office staff; and appear to leave entirely open the question as to what batta should be granted to foresters in charge of ranges.

I proposed to ask Govt. to clear up the matter in a consolidated order; but learned (I forget now on what authority) that you had done so.

Would you kindly tell me whether this is a fact, as in that case a separate reference from me might be unnecessary.

Yours truly
(Sd) J. L. Pigott.

C. R. Subrayan Esqr.

T.T.O.

Order 8.

S.C. No. 6817-26 / H.7.53-95 dated 24.3.00

" 1761-2 / H.7.53-95 " 24.8.00

" 3502-3 / H.7.53-95 " 27.10.00.

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OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE.

No. 1401 / 7457

Bangalore, 22nd August 1901. 189 27

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From

E. R. SUBRAYER, Esq.,

Comptroller of Mysore.

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To

J.L.Pigot Esq.,

Conservator of Forests,

in Mysore.

SIR,

No 28/8/1 336 Headlines

With reference to your Demi official of 6th Instant, enquiring whether this Office has made any reference to Government regarding the Travelling allowances of Forest rangers, I have the honor to state that in para 7 of the Government Pro: No.6817-26/FLF53-75 dated 24th March 1900, the Government have sanctioned the following rates of Permanent Travelling allowance to the Officers in charge of Ranges. (If a ranger Maidan 20 Malnad 30) (If a sub assistant or Conservator Maidan 30 Malnad 40.) Subsequently in Pro: No.1761-62/FLF53-95 dated 24th August 1900, the Government have modified the above order and directed that the Assistant and Sub Assistant Conservators in charge of ranges might be allowed the Travelling allowance prescribed for their respective grades, and the Rangers the daily batta at one rupee in the Maidan and Rs.2/- in the Malnad.

On the 4th August 1900 i.e.20 days before the above order was passed your Office proposed to Government that certain tracts might be treated as Malnad tracts for the purpose of giving the fixed Travelling allowance of Rs.30/- to Rangers and the Government in Pro: No.3502-3/FLF53-95 dated 27th October 00 approved of the same and directed that the fixed Travelling allowance of Rs.30/- might be granted to them when in charge of or employed in the above tracts and that however the daily batta and Travelling allowances sanctioned to rangers in the second

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Read

(1) Government Proceedings No. 6817-26 dated 24th March 1900, passing orders regarding the reorganization of the Forest Executive Protective and Ministerial Establishment in the State. F. 753.95

(2) Proceedings No. 1761-62 F. 753.95 dated 24th August 1900 fixing the daily batta to be drawn by Rangers and Foresters.

(3) Proceedings No. 3502-3 F. 753.95 dated the 27th October 1900 specifying the Mahal Rangs for which fixed travelling allowances were sanctioned

(4) Note dated 9th September

1901, by the Conservator
of Forests in Belgaum and
Secretary to Government
in the Forest Department.

Suggesting for reconsideration
of the ~~above~~ matter, in view
to the issue of a consolidated
order on the subject
~~of~~ regarding the

So far as it relates to the daily batta & allowances to Rangers & Foresters,

Under reference. No. 698-706 / 3591-9 d/ 10.4.02

Government observes
that great uncertainty
and in some instances
hardship, have been
occasioned by such references
having been disposed of
by Government on broad-cast
instead of the whole question
being comprehensively
considered and dealt with.

Therefore they have placed to
sanction the following rates
of daily batta & allowances
to Rangers & Foresters

in modification of the
orders quoted above and
of proceedings No. 1524-5
F.714.96
dated the 10th August 1896:-

(a) Rangers will draw
daily batta at Re 1 in
Maidan and Rs 2 in
Malnad, the Malnad
ranges being those specified
in Govt Prog No. 3502-3
F.753.95
dated 27th October 1900.

(b) Rangers will draw
horse allowance at Rs 15
in Maidan and Rs 20
in Malnad, proportionate
deduction being made
from this allowance for the period
for which daily batta is drawn

(c) Foresters when
~~[illegible]~~ placed in

charge of Rangers will draw,
whether in Mandan or
Mahnomen, a consolidated
allowance of $2.25 per
(d) Foresters not in
charge of rangers will
draw 4 rations in Mandan
and 4 rations in Mahnomen

2 This order
~~These rates~~ will
have effect from the
1st of this month.

Draft
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Secy to Gen Forest Supt

Approved
3/4/02

3rd 29/3/02.

To the Controller
Duly

The Department of
Justice

Proceedings of the Government of Mysore, Forest, dated 10th April 1902.

READ—

(1) Government Proceedings No. 6817-26—Ft. F. 53-95, dated 24th March 1900, passing orders regarding the reorganization of the Forest Executive, Protective and Office establishments in the State.

(2) Government Proceedings No. 1761-2—Ft. F. 53-95, dated 24th August 1900, fixing the daily batta to be drawn by Rangers and Foresters.

(3) Government Proceedings No. 3502-3—Ft. F. 53-95, dated the 27th October 1900, specifying the Malnad Ranges for which fixed travelling allowances were sanctioned.

(4) Note dated 9th September 1901, by the Conservator of Forests in Mysore and Secretary to Government in the Forest Department, suggesting a re-consideration of the matter so far as it relates to the daily batta and allowances to Rangers and Foresters, in view to the issue of a consolidated order on the subject.

No. 698-706—3591-9, DATED BANGALORE, 10TH APRIL 1902.

ORDER THEREON.—Government observe that much uncertainty, and in some cases even hardship, have been occasioned by each reference having been disposed of by Government as brought up instead of the whole question being comprehensively considered and dealt with. They are therefore pleased to sanction the follo wing rates of daily batta and allowances to Rangers and Foresters in modification of the Orders quoted above and of Proceedings No. 1524-5—Ft. F. 14-96, dated the 10th August 1896 : —

(*a*) Rangers will draw daily batta at Re. 1 in Maidan and Rs. 2 in Malnad, the Malnad Ranges being those specified in Government Proceedings No. 3502-3—Ft. F. 53-95, dated 27th October 1900.

(*b*) Rangers will draw horse allowance at Rs. 15 in Maidan and Rs. 20 in Malnad, proportionate deduction being made from this allowance for the period for which daily batta is drawn.

(*c*) Foresters when placed in charge of Ranges will draw, whether in Maidan or Malnad, a consolidated allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem.

(*d*) Foresters not in charge of Ranges will draw 4 annas in Maidan and 8 annas in Malnad.

2. This order will have effect from the 1st of this month.

M. MUTHANNAH,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Exd.—J.T.R.

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1901-02

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

FOREST

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 10th April 1902

No. 698-706 / 3591-9

Sanctioning at certain rates, daily batta and travelling allowances to Rangers and Foresters in the State in modification of previous orders on the subject.

S.B.P.—25-4-02—200

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No 70 98/394

SPECIAL AUDIT AND DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE

COMPTROLLER, GOVT. OF MYSORE,

BANGALORE, 15th May 1902 1900

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From

E. R. SUBRAYER, Esq., B.A.B.C.E.

COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVERNMENT.

To M. Muthanna, Esq., R.B.,

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,

Forest DEPT.

SIR,

With reference to Govt: Pro: No.698-706/3591-9 of 10th April 1902, I have the honor to request that you may be so good as to inform me clearly of the tracts in which the rangers are entitled to Daily Allowance at Malnad rate of Rs.2/- per day, whether it should be restricted to the nine ranges specified in the margin of the Govt: Order No. 3502/F1F53-95 of 27th October 1900 or to the tracts mentioned in Art: 602 of the Mysore Service Regulations as laid down in the latter part of the same Government Order.

An early reply is solicited.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Comptroller.

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_____ DEPARTMENT

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From

E. R. SUBRAYER, Esq.
COMPTROLLER, MYSORE GOVT.

To

THE SECY, TO GOVT. OF MYSORE,

Dept.

Dated

Despatched

Received

General No.
No.

Enclosure No.

In reply to

SUBJECT.

REFERENCES
To be entered only in the Dewan's Office.

(517) (129) 1902

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FROM E. A. Subroyer Esqre
Comptroller of
Mysore

To A. Muthanna Esq.
Ag. Conservator of Forests
in Mysore

Dated 19th May 1902.

Despatched 21 May 1902.

Received 22/5/02

General No. 7054

No. 395

Enclosure No.

Government having in
Pro: No: 698-706 / 3591-9 dated
10th April 1902 sanctioned
P.M. House allowance,
to Rangers they are under
existing rules of the
Mysore Service Regulations
entitled to Travelling allow-
ance, when they travel
beyond their jurisdic-
tion, i.e. beyond their
respective Ranges vide
Arts: 524 & 525 of the
Regulations. Requests
therefore that he will
be so good as to furnish

Rec'd 23/5

Sent draft 26/5/02

Draft

this office with a list, shewing the Taluk or Sub
Comprising each Range.

2. As foresters are under the same Regulations
entitled to daily allowance, only when they are
not placed in charge of any Range, the words
"not in charge" of any Range" may also be re-
quested to same Correspondance be noted against
the name of the claimant whereever allowances
are claimed in his behalf.

C. Winslow

Comptroller

No. 4473
d/ 31. 5-02

(SL 8) (130)

To

The Controller Mysore Govt

Sir,

With reference to para 2 of y^r docket No 7059/395 dated the 9^th May 1902, I have the honor to inform you that travelling allowance bills of only foresters not in charge of rangers are sent to your Office for pre-audit. No remark in the bills as suggested by you seems necessary. Foresters in charge of rangers are not entitled to any batta and their allowance will be drawn along with their pay.

2 Separate Communication will be addressed on the subject of the rangers batta referred to in para 1 of your docket under reference.

I have &c

Draft ord. 28/5/02
Ci for Chief Conservator of Forests

Notes--Contn sheet.

(819) Read the following ~~letter~~ from the Comptroller to the Govt. of Mysore.

(1) Letter No. 7098/394 dated the 15th May 1902 to the Secy to Govt. Forest Departt requesting to be informed, with reference to Govt Progs No. 698-706/3591-9 dated 10th April 1902, whether the daily allowance at reduced rates shd be restricted to the 9 rangers specified in G.O No. 3502-8/J. 753-9/5 27th October 1900 or to tracts specified in article 602 of the Mysore Service Regulations

(2) Docket No. 7059/395 dated 19th May 1902 to the Conservator of Forests interpreting that ~~all~~ all rangers ~~will~~ with ~~be~~ entitled under existing rules rangers are entitled to travelling allowance only when they travel beyond their jurisdiction and requesting to be furnished—

with a list showing the talukas
comprising each range.

Order thereon. No 881-89 Dated 4th June 1902.
4687-95

The orders of Govt

No 698-706 dated 10th April 1902,
3591 "
are cleared Ltd supersede all
previous orders on the subject.
The Divl changes in the Range charges under those specified
in Proc No 3582-3 dated 27.10.00
"Y53-95
which Rangers will are entitled
to have allowance while travelling within jurisdiction, & in addition thereto they are
proper hamalee deduction being made from their allowances in the latter case
in their bills for the period
for which they draw batta daily batta. They

2. When rangers travel
& out their jurisdiction with the permission
of their superior officers they
will be entitled to a batta of
2 Rs a day in mahal and 1 Re in addition to their
a day in mofussil the mahal permanent horse allowance
tract, hence those specified in
arts: 602 of the R. S Regs: no
deduction on such cases being required.

3 - Order Govt have been pleased that in the case of
Dist Mfg. Ranger to Govt 2nd Dept. - Forest Establishment
- his batta for route
journey granted by the Comptroller
should be paid by the Divl Officer
in the Div. to which the Ranger is
not to be charged or Ranges are

To The Comptroller
The Dy. Conservators of

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do not draw a consolidated allowance".

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Proceedings of the Government of Mysore, Forest, dated 7th June 1902.

READ—

The following from the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore :—

(1) Letter No. 7098—394, dated the 15th May 1902, to the Secretary to Government, Forest Department, requesting to be informed, with reference to Government Proceedings No. 698-706—3591-9, dated 10th April 1902, whether the daily allowance at malnad rates should be restricted to the nine ranges specified in Government Order No. 3502—Ft. F. 53-95, dated 27th October 1900, or to tracts specified in Article 602 of the Mysore Service Regulations.

(2) Docket No. 7059—395, dated 19th May 1902, to the Conservator of Forests, interpreting that under existing rules Rangers are entitled to travelling allowance only when they travel beyond their jurisdiction, and requesting to be furnished with a list showing the taluks comprising each range.

No. 881-9—4587-95, DATED BANGALORE, 7TH JUNE 1902.

ORDER THEREON.—The orders of Government No. 698-706—3591-9, dated 10th April 1902, supersede all previous orders on the subject. The nine range charges in question are those specified in Proceedings No. 3502-3—Ft. F. 53-95, dated 27th October 1900. Rangers are entitled to horse allowance whether they travel or not and, in addition thereto, they are, while travelling within jurisdiction, entitled to batta, a proportionate deduction from their horse allowances being in the latter case made in their bills for the period for which they draw daily batta.

2. When Rangers travel beyond their jurisdiction with the permission of their superior Officers, they will be entitled in addition to their permanent horse allowance to a batta of Rs. 2 a day in malnad and Re. 1 a day in maidan, the malnad tracts being those specified in Article 602 of the Mysore Service Regulations, no deduction in such cases being required.

3. Orders have been issued that in the case of Foresters claiming batta, the note suggested by the Comptroller should invariably be made *viz.*, that the claimants are "not in charge of ranges and do not draw a consolidated allowance."

M. MUTHANNA,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Forest Dept.

To—The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Exd.—J.T.R.

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1901-1902

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

FOREST

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 7th June 1902

No. 881-9 / 4587-95

Issuing instructions regarding the grant of batta to Rangers and Foresters.

S.B.P.—14-6-02—350.

To

(Sl. 10)

The Conservator of Forests
in Mysore
Bangalore.

Through

The District Forest officer
Kolar District

Respected Sir

I most respectfully beg leave to approach you with this humble petition with full hopes that you will kindly consider my case

In obedience to the transfer order, I have come to this place, and am attending to the duties entrusted to me by my Superior - the District Forest officer.

During your recent tour in the Hassan district, I personally represented to you at Arsikere that my emoluments are quite inadequate to meet the up-keep of the establishment, which I have to maintain for the efficient discharge of my duties as a Forest Surveyor. After hearing me, you were kind enough to say that you would consider my case. I take the opportunity of gently reminding, that this is a new place and the transfer has been

leave

heavily upon my already exhausted purse
I therefore beg that you will soon take my
Case into your kind consideration and
better my prospects either by raising
my pay as Forest Surveyor to Rs 40+15 or
giving me an permanent allowance of
Rs 30 per mensem. I beg to add that
what I have asked is not too much con
-sidering the arduous duties I have to dis-
-charge. As for the work I have done in
Hassan, a kind reference to Hassan district
Forest officers docket No $\frac{252}{12.5.02}$, will speak
for itself

In conclusion I beg to represent that I have been maintaining a
pony for the last 6 months without
any allowances. Under these circumstances
I fully trust you will be graciously pleased
to better my prospects

For this act of Kindness I
shall ever feel grateful

I beg to remain

Respt. Sir

Your most obedient Servant

H Basavanayak

Forester

on Survey duty

1st August 02

Camp Srinivasapur

Subd.

Sanction of Govt. in granting permanent allowances to Foresters detailed on Survey work is required. The charges can be debited to Savings under B II "Travelling allowances" (c) "Subordinate Depot & Forest Sch." or to General Savings under B II T.A.

Please show to accts for
WR.

Read (S(11)

Note by the Hy.

Conservator and Secy to
Government, Forest
Department, proposing
to grant to Foresters
employed on Forest
Surveys a consolidated
travelling allowance
of Rs 15 in the Maidan
and Rs 20 in Malnad
in lieu of the daily
allowance of 4 as and
8 annas respectively
to which they are otherwise
entitled under the rules
and stating that the
Foresters on Survey work
have as much arduous duties
to perform

regular
21 Surveyors ~~Land~~

Order thereon No. 178-9 / 1374-5 d/ 9.9.02.

Foresters employed
on Survey work will,
in lieu of daily allowance,
draw the rates fixed
allowances as that
drawn by Foresters
in charge of Ranges
the charges being met from savings
under B II 2 allowances

Mr
Chief Secy & Audit
Mys.

To The Controller
Mr L
The Dy. Conservator for
Communication to
Doraswamy Naidu on
Survey work

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SPECIAL AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE

COMPTROLLER, GOVT. OF MYSORE,

BANGALORE, 16th January 1903.

From

Henry Eagles, Esq.,
~~E. R. SUBRAYER, Esq.,~~

Offg: COMPTROLLER, GOVT. OF MYSORE.

FOREST DEPARTMENT
No. 182-203-1
JAN 26 1903
DEWAN'S OFFICE

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,

Forest DEPT.

SIR,

I have the honor to forward copy of letter No.3353 dated 17th December 1902 from the Offg: Conservator of Forests with the bills ~~attended~~ alluded to therein for reference and request to be informed whether the Horse allowance to be deducted from the Travelling allowance of rangers journeying within their jurisdection under para 1 of Government Pro: No.331-89/458"-95 dated 7th June 1902, should be computed at 1/30th of the horse allowance for each day for which travelling allowance is claimed irrespective of the number of days of which the month consists as prescribed for journeys beyond jurisdiction (Art:545 of the Mysore Service Regulations) or the number of days of the month should be taken into account.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H Eagles

Offg: Comptroller.

Encl to Sl 12

1903

FROM M. Muthanna Asst. to R.B. offg. conservator of Forests in Mysore.

To

L. R. Subrayer Asst. to R.B.C.C. Comptroller in Mysore

Dated 17th

Despatched December 02

Received

General No. 3353
No.

Enclosure No. 4 Bills

In returning herewith for perusal and favour of re-audit the marginally noted audited travelling allowance bills, has the honour to invite his attention to government order No: 881-9 / 4587-9s- of the 7th June 1902, and to request that the disallowances made in the bills by the comptroller under Article 545 of the Mysore Service Regulations may be kindly withdrawn as the authority quoted is not applicable to the forest Subordinates in question

2. It is further requested

that all the audited bills may in future be caused to be transmitted direct as heretofore to the officers concerned to save delay.

(Sgd) G. E. Ricketts

for offg Conservator of Forests

"True copy"

C. Hutchison Mackenzie.
Account Probationer

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Copd. 30/1

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Read

Letter No. 3780/96 dated the 16th January 1903, from the Comptroller to the Mysore Government enquiring whether the horse allowance to be deducted from the Travelling allowance of Rangers journeying within their jurisdiction under para 1 of Govt. Rs No. 881-89/4587-95 dated the 7th June 1902, should be computed at 1/30th of the horse allowance for each day for which travelling allowance is claimed irrespective of the number of days of which the month consists as prescribed in article 545 of the Mysore Service Regulations or the number of days of the month should be taken into account.

Wt. Rs. 26/1/03.

Order thereon No 467/4560 M/31.1.03.

Article 545 of the Regulations does not apply to the cases of Forest Rangers travelling within

their jurisdiction. The number of days of the month for which the Courts ~~the bottle is drawn~~ should be taken into account in calculating the Allowances to be drawn for the J.A. Wills.

Draft
Yrs
Hg Levy Forest Deptt

24/11/09.

To
The Comptroller
Progressive Govt
Lahore

Endorsed sent on 7-2-03.

4705 30/6/03

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Read

Note dated 20 June 1903 by the Hg Conservator and Secretary to Govt. Forest Department, submitting for sanction travelling allowance bills of Forester Venkatapiah of Nagar Range for periods from Sept/00 to 30th June 1901 aggregating Rs 64/- as noted in the margin and stating that the amount could not be drawn in time as the question relating to the grant of allowances to Foresters in charge of Ranges was under consideration and that the Comptroller Mysore Govt cannot authorise the adjustment of the bills without the special sanction of Govt as it relates to a period more than 2 years old.

September 1900	Rs 7.4.0
October "	5.0.0
November "	5.0.0
December "	4.12.0
January/01 "	7.4.0
February "	6.12.0
March "	6.8.0
April "	7.4.0
May "	7.0.0
June "	7.4.0
Total	64.0.0

Govt Limit.

M.13/67.03.

Order thereon. No: 1-2/4-5 dt 1.7.03. Enclo bills

Under the circumstances explained by the Hg Conservator the bills above referred to are sanctioned and forwarded to the Comptroller for the needful.

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To
The Comptroller
The Dy. Commr Shemoga

Draftsman
D.F.O.

Hg. Secy Forest Dept.